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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Elections/Restrictions

The Office Action required restriction of claims 1-18 on file in this application.

The claims have been restricted to claims 1-17 drawn to a method for providing electronically mailable pre-paid call credits. Claim 18 is cancelled. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application incorporating the subject matter of claim 18.

The Office Action has further required that Applicant select a species. Applicant selects species 1.d.

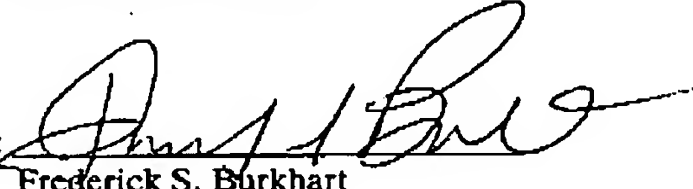
This application is now considered to be in a condition for examination on its merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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